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PERSONAL AND SOCIETY GOSSIP.

MAX SALINGER is here looking after his interests.

WM. HIGGINS HOPPER is clerking for Higgins & McKinney.

MISS ELLIE CUMMINS, of Livingston, is with Mrs. Dr. E. J. Brown.

MR. AND MRS. E. P. MORITZ are spending a few days in St. Louis.

MRS. L. A. FARRIS, of Lexington, is visiting her father, Mr. Joe H. Rout.

MISS MOLLIE DAUGHERTY is back from a visit to relatives in Lexington.

THE Economical Club will meet with Mrs. S. M. Rankin from 2 to 4 this afternoon.

MR. C. D. POWELL, of Lancaster, was here yesterday with an eye to locating.

FRANK HOLTZWILHEIM is back from Pineville, where he sold seven car loads of hay.

ELD. J. Q. MONTGOMERY, of Liberty, was shaking hands with old friends here yesterday.

MR. AND MRS. JOHN S. BAUGHMAN have moved to their farm near Hyattsville.—Advocate.

MRS. SUSIE BLANKENSHIP, of Burgin, spent several days with her sister, Mrs. W. O. Speed.

BORN, to the wife of F. F. Cummins, a brother of our Mr. James F. Cummins, a daughter.

MISS SUSAN FISHER WOODS went to Millersburg yesterday to visit her sister, Mrs. S. M. Allen.

MISS BETTIE MOORE, of McKinney, is visiting Miss Mollie Vaughan.—Kimble Cor. Adair News.

MISS WILLIE V. DAWSON is at home from an extended visit to friends at Henderson and other places.

MISS BETTIE LEWIS is down from Livingston to see her brother, Bazil, who is very ill of pneumonia.

JOHN COULTER, of Yosemite, orders his paper sent to West Nashville, where he and his wife are visiting.

SHERIFF S. M. OWENS and Clerk James F. Holdam have been kept away from their office several days by illness.

MR. JAMES P. COWDEN brought Miss Ella Wright back from Casey and was the guest of Mr. C. R. Wright a few days.

MR. L. R. JONES, of Pineville, was here yesterday returning to Kentucky University, in which he is a promising pupil.

MRS. DR. J. G. CARPENTER fell on the icy pavement and badly sprained one of her wrists and has been in bed ever since.

J. W. PERRIN has taken the agency of the Milwaukee Machines and will travel two men this year in Lincoln and Garrard.

WINFRED PORTMAN will make his home in Shelby with Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Stagg. He started by private conveyance Tuesday.

THEIR Lincoln county friends, and they are many, will be glad to learn that Mr. and Mrs. U. D. Simpson will run the Mason Hotel at Lancaster another year.

MR. I. S. PHILLIPS, after spending a pleasant Xmas with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Phillips, has gone to Indianapolis, where he is taking a course in dentistry.

MISS ELLA MAY SAUNDERS and Virgie Ballard attended the hop given at the Dillion Hotel, Livingston, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday nights and report a delightful time.

J. GINSBURG has gone to Louisville to buy a stock of furniture, which business he will run in connection with his clothing business, which he says is exceeding his most sanguine expectations.

HON. AND MRS. J. N. SAUNDERS returned Wednesday from their bridal tour, which embraced a foreign trip, and lasted a little over two months. They will go to housekeeping in their home on Danville Avenue.

"THAT puzzle of yours is going to send some of our people to the asylum," said Mr. W. G. Gooch, who was here from Garrard yesterday. "People work night and day on it and not a few have seriously neglected their business," he added.

J. CARROLL BAILEY is receiving the congratulations of his friends on the birth of his first-born, a daughter, who made her debut into the cold world at an early hour yesterday morning. The little one weighed 10½ pounds and will likely be called for both its grandmothers, the late Mrs. G. A. Lackey and Mrs. J. P. Bailey.

THE Uncle Josh Sprucey Co., a splendid rural melodrama troupe, with two bands and an orchestra, special scenery, &c., and first-class in every respect, will be at Walton's Opera House Thursday night, Jan. 11. Taylor Parvin, the advance man, is here today to see after the advertising.

FIRST-CLASS typewriter for sale. W. H. Wearon.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

GO to Dalton for good watch work.

WHITE star coffee at G. H. Farris & Co's.

HEATING stoves at cost. Warren & Shanks'.

1,000 YARDS, 12c yard wide percale at 10c. Severance & Sons.

DR. W. B. PENNY, dentist. Office at residence, Lancaster Street.

SOMETHING new in sackings and shirt waist flannels at J. P. Jones'.

WANTED.—Second-hand horse power for one or two horses. A. C. Sine.

T. C. BALL sold to Bettie Pleasants a house on St. Asaph creek for \$200.

DON'T forget our terms are cash on coal and feed. J. H. Baughman & Co.

SEE the big sign SEVERANCE & SONS, across the street opposite the court house.

12 INCHES.—That was the thickness of ice at Middleburg, so Mr. W. C. Bryant writes us.

BRADY & TERRY's butcher shop will always be found well supplied with the choicest meats of all kinds.

DR. PENNY's dental office at residence, on Lancaster street. You will find him there ready for business.

BUY your coal quick or you will have to take any kind you can get. It is selling fast. J. H. Baughman & Co.

FOR RENT.—One of the storerooms occupied by Severance & Sons. Apply at this office or to Mrs. M. J. Miller.

THE man who has an ice house and didn't fill it this snap deserves to drink tepid water all next summer and to famish through all eternity.

THE Severances' new sign, which stretches across the street at their new store, is bound to be seen and read by all who come to town.

MISS NETTIE WRAY asks us to state that messages to all points except J. E. Lynn's residence and Turnersville will be 25c from now on.

I HOPE all of those who owe me by note or account will meet me at my old stand Monday and settle up. My business must be closed up. B. K. Wearon.

STANFORD has a piano repository. W. H. Gibson has just opened one in the Myers House for D. H. Baldwin & Co., where you can get the best instruments at the lowest price.

DEATH.—Mrs. John M. Cabell, of Louisville, wife of the well-known drummer after whom Cabell Owens was named, died in Louisville of Bright's disease Wednesday.

THE reported purchase of the stock of Miner & Pardon at Moreland by W. C. Greening, of Hustonville, did not materialize, the merchants thinking they had too good a thing to dispose of.

PRETTY GOOD.—When J. Ginsburg, the clothing man, was introduced in the K. P. lodge the other night by a brother, his name was pronounced "Ginseng." "That's pretty good," said Ginsburg, "it's worth \$5 a pound."

THE Joseph Price Infirmary has another partner. Dr. E. J. Brown has bought a third interest in it and the firm will hereafter be Carpenter, Peyton and Brown. The institution is a noble one and is proving remunerative to its founders.

THE Central Record says that Charley Poindexter and Will Marksbury started to the Philippines, but learned on their arrival at Lancaster that Mrs. Aguilardo was dead and went to Brodhead instead. Sensible boys, Brodhead beats Manila, 10 to 1.

JAILED.—Deputy W. L. Wood arrested yesterday Kate Gooch and her son, Arthur, on an indictment charging them with stealing diamonds and silver tea spoons from Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Foster. They were placed in jail, being unable to give the \$150 bail each.

IN advertising the meeting of the Somerset Banking Co., when seven directors are to be elected, the Paragon printed it "seven democrats," which while unintentional possibly conveyed a truth. Democrats make the best bank directors and democrats will likely be elected.

NICE PRESENT.—Mr. W. S. Warren asks us to thank the person or persons who made him the timely gift of a barrel of flour. He says Higgins & McKinney's wagon left it at his home, but they won't tell him who ordered it sent. Mr. Warren would appreciate it if other friends would remember him as substantially.

THE telephone exchange is growing rapidly and it keeps Homer Wray busy putting in new instruments. Miss Nettie Wray asks us to insist on patrons calling for numbers they want rather than the names of persons they wish to talk to. By doing so it will save her considerable trouble, as the list is getting so long that it is almost impossible to remember everybody's number. Get one of the new guides just gotten out by Mr. George C. Keller at this office and hang it where the numbers can be easily seen.

65 OR 70 acres of land for sale. Apply to D. W. Vandever.

YOUR account is ready. Please come and settle. Beazley Bros.

FOR RENT.—Room over Craig & Hocker's store. W. H. Higgins.

JANUARY 1ST is at hand and your account is ready for you. Please call and settle. H. C. Ruple.

ON account of the advance in feed we charge 35c for single feeds and 25c for hays, beginning Jan. 1, 1900. Beazley Bros., Hiverymen.

COLLAR BONE BROKEN.—Squire James Raines fell from his wagon while driving on his place and broke his collar bone. Dr. W. B. O'Bannon attended him and he is doing as well as could be expected.

THE Red Men organized with 65 members Wednesday night. Some of the most prominent men of the order in the State were present. State Organizer J. B. Van Zandt says it is the largest tribe ever organized in the State.

WANTED, 25 dozen glass cabinets to make at \$2 cash with order. This number will soon be taken, so if you want to take advantage of the cut get into the band wagon at once. Miss Maggie Sacray, Photographer.

THE livery men, who belong to the association, claim that they have formed no trust whatever, but are merely making a stronger effort to prevent cruelty to horses and destruction to vehicles. In fact it is more of a humane society than anything else.

THE thaw seems to be coming at last, after 10 days of as cold weather as is ever experienced in this locality, during which the mercury has ranged between 4 below and 25 above. Every last germ that is killable by cold has doubtless gone hence and we will have a healthy year.

CAME NEAR FREEZING.—Mr. Ben Boone, of the Gilberts Creek section, got lost while going home one of the recent cold nights and slept in an out-house. His hands and feet were frozen next morning and he has been in a fearful condition since.

TWO more popular young men never went into business together than Messrs. J. F. Cummins and Forrest S. McClary, especially with the ladies, and it is safe to predict that they will do well. They make a good start by taking a half-column in this paper, which we hope and believe will pay them many times the cost of it.

CAN YOU WORK IT?—Hon. D. W. Tribble, who is here from Richmond on a visit to his sister, Mrs. P. P. Nonnelly, gave us an answer for the 21 puzzle and submitted the following: Two men purchased 300 acres of land for \$300, each paying exactly \$150. One pays 25 cents an acre more than the other. How much does each pay per acre and how many acres does each get?

A GOOD deal of yesterday was taken up in Judge Bailey's court with the trial between Ben P. Martin and James T. Jones. Martin sued Jones for rent and Jones sued Martin for damages. Each was given \$15 and ordered to pay half of the costs. Jones' claim for damages consisted in Mr. Martin's failure to provide fences, thus letting cattle get in on him and further that Martin's son walked on vegetables in his garden and damaged them.

BEFORE Christmas, Mr. A. A. McRoberts, of Sellersville, Montana, brother of Mr. W. B. McRoberts, wrote and asked him to send him a hickory cist, as there was none in his section. Mr. Mc had one that he had used in 1879 when he was hurt in a runaway, a crooked black hickory, that has done service for several cripples. He sent it by registered mail for 26 cents and yesterday received a receipt that it had been received in good shape.

WHEN Dave Newland plead limitation on an account of Dr. J. G. Carpenter's in Judge Bailey's court the other day, the doctor observed that Mr. Newland's father told him that he had better make his son pay the cash. Mr. Newland denied that his father had ever said such a thing, when the doctor gave him the d—n lie, right in the court room. Judge Bailey was about to fine the doctor for contempt but graciously accepted his apology, feeling doubtless that the doctor had great provocation both in having his claim outlawed and in having his word contradicted.

ONE of the most thoroughly enjoyable occasions the Hustonville people have been treated to for some time was the masquerade party given by Misses Wheeler and Worthington a few nights since. About 50 young people were masked, many of whom were unknown until their masks were removed, so well did they represent the characters or persons intended. At the proper hour a delightful lunch was served and the whole evening was so pleasantly spent that it will be long remembered by those who were fortunate enough to be present. Misses Wheeler and Worthington were most charming entertainers and to Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler no little of the success of the delightful evening is due.

ON account of the advance in corn and all kinds of feed I have had to put up prices on single feeds to 35c and hays 25c. No hitches on public days. I. M. Bruce, Hiveryman, Stanford.

THE newly elected city council, which is the old one with the exception of A. B. Florence, met last night and re-elected W. E. Varnon Atty.-L. R. Hughes clerk and O. J. Newland chief of police. J. J. McRoberts was elected treasurer in place of A. A. McKinney, resigned. Incandescent lights were ordered on Mill and Depot streets. W. H. Traylor was granted liquor license for a saloon at the Carpenter House. J. P. Peyton and M. D. Elmore were appointed the finance committee and J. S. Hundley and John M. Stone the street committee. A committee was appointed to offer the Water, Light & Ice company \$2,700 for the year's service and to draw contract if accepted. The tax rate was fixed as before at 50c, 35c for water and light, and 15c for salaries. The council will meet again Tuesday afternoon to take the bonds of the officers.

LAND AND STOCK.

Ten good steer calves for sale. Mark Hardin.

Brady & Terry bought of J. N. Men' efee some butcher stuff at 3c.

W. M. Mathery bought of D. W. Lynn a bunch of ewes at \$5.25.

C. J. Hamlin bought the 4 year-old pacer, Direct Hal, 2:17, for \$10,000.

B. F. Rout bought W. P. Walton's herd of swine, weighing 3g0 pounds, at 4c.

I will have 35 extra good short yearlings on the market Monday. John G. Lynn.

W. J. Loughbridge, of Lexington, bought of B. T. Hume 125,000 pounds of hemp at \$5.

Richard Bibb has sold to J. D. Dalton, of Moreland, his crop of tobacco at nine cents around.

Alfred Dehony, of Washington county, bought of A. G. Todd 11 yearling mules at \$55.—Adair News.

At Paris Monday W. G. McClintock bought five mules for \$500. Other mules sold ranged in price from \$50 to \$130.

A. J. Thompson has bought conditionally the farm of 140-odd acres in the East End belonging to J. E. Carson for \$5,300.

H. A. Pleasants bought of Claude King a bunch of shoats at 3c and some 150-pound hogs at 3 3/4c. He sold to J. C. Johnston some fat cows at 21c.

Stonewall Jackson, the faithful family horse of Mrs. Adaline Craig, colored, is dead. He was 25 years old and had never been owned outside of the Craig family.

The Texas mules on the British transport, bound for South Africa, died at the rate of 20 a day soon after the sailing from New Orleans. Seventy dead mules were thrown overboard before reaching the Barbados.

Bijou White, a Madison county farmer, will resort to a novel treatment to prevent his cattle from dying of black-leg. He has 160 on his farm and says that beginning this week he will vaccinate every hoof of his herd.

Minneapolis received 87,961,630 bushels of wheat in 1899. This is 8,300,000 bushels more than was ever received here in the calendar year, but 4,500,000 bushels less than was received in the last crop year ending Aug. 31.

J. N. Vanhook, who was over from Garrard yesterday, told us that he sold to Joe Pope 70 acres of land, four miles from Lancaster, for \$1,800 and bought a house and lot in Lancaster for \$1,000 and 50 acres of land on Fall Lick in Garrard for \$800.

PLEASE READ.

January 1st, the regular semi-annual settling time, has come and gone and some of my patrons have not settled with me. If you are one of them you are earnestly requested to settle. Thanking you and all for past patronage and soliciting a continuance, Very Truly, J. H. GREER.

Commissioner's Sale!

Of Lands in Whitley County.

LINCOLN CIRCUIT COURT.

First National Bank of Stanford, Ky., Plaintiff, vs. Mary E. Varnon and Others, Defendants, In Equity.

In execution of the judgment rendered by Lincoln Circuit Court at its special January Term, 1899 in the above styled case, the house and lot in Stanford, Ky., having failed at a public sale under the order of this court to realize money enough to satisfy plaintiff's debt, interest and costs, I will on

Wednesday, Jan. 10, 1900

On the land in Whitley County, Ky., between the hours of 11 A. M. and 2 P. M., sell at public outcry to the highest bidder so much of the tract of land containing

ABOUT 500 ACRES.

Of the defendant Miss Mary E. Varnon in said county, as will satisfy the judgment rendered in action and the amount on that day to be realized is \$1,441.80, being the residue of plaintiff's debt, principal, interest and costs.

Said tract of land is situated in Whitley County, Ky., 250 acres, more or less, lying on the East side of the right-of-way of the Louisville & Nashville Railroad, and 250 acres, more or less, lie on the West side of the right-of-way of said railroad. The commissioneer will offer for sale first, the land, or so much thereof, lying on the East side of the right-of-way of said railroad and if the land on the East side does not realize enough to satisfy the amount above named the commissioneer will then offer for sale the land lying on the West side of the railroad, or so much as may be necessary for that purpose. The land ordered sold is known as the

OLD GILLS FARM.

And bounded on the North by the lands of Joe Bennett and Henry L. Drummett. On the West side by the lands of Wm. Sawyers and Mrs. Sharpe. On the South by the lands of Cal Gillie heirs and on the East by the lands of Boyd, Jones, Laforet. The land is fine coal land and its access to the railroad makes the entire tract of 500 acres very valuable property.

TERMS OF SALE.—A credit of 6 and 12 months, equal installments, on lands with good security bearing interest from day of sale until paid and having the force and effect of judgments. A lien will be retained on the land to secure the payments for the purchase money.

R. C. WARREN,

Master Commissioner Lincoln Circuit Court

ANNOUNCEMENT!

Having purchased of Severance & Sons the entire stock of Clothing, Gent's Furnishings and Shoes at a great reduction, we are in a position to offer Bargains never before offered in the same class of goods. We will replete each line with new goods and in addition put in the most elegant line of 'Ladies', 'Misses' and Children's Shoes ever brought to Stanford. We have purchased for Spring the Newest and Best Productions in Clothing, Furnishings and Shoes and our stock will always be thoroughly up-to-date. Our Prices are trade-makers.

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I have something extra nice; also a good line of heavy Fleece-Lined Cotton Hose. Have left a few of the Ladies' Heavy Knit Skirts at 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

New Sacking Flannels Just In. See Them.

JOHN P. JONES, Stanford.

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